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A REPORT ON MINING IN CALIFORNIA

(Editor's Note: The news below is furnished by the State of California Division of Mines.)

NEVADA COUNTY

The Idaho Maryland Mines Corp., Grass Valley, Neil O'Donnell, general manager is producing and working a crew of 407 men. Most of the work underground is done on contract. The average pay to contractors for November was $13.86 per shift. The day's pay men receive 90 1-2c per hour; time and one half for time over 40 hours per week, plus 50 cents a day for travel pay. About 600 tons are mined daily.

The Empire Star Mines Cor., Ltd. Grass Valley, is not producing from its properties at Grass Valley. A maintenance crew of 50 to 60 only are employed. John Mann is general manager.

The Spring Hill Corp., Grass Valley, is working its property near Grass Valley. C. C. Cushwa is manager and has a crew of 12 men.

The Ancho-Erie Mine, near Washington, Nevada County is producing. Approximately 150 tons of ore are run through the mill daily. Fred Anderson is the general manager and has a crew of 30 men.

SIERRA COUNTY

The Original Sixteen to One Mining Co., Russ Bldg., San Francisco, is working a crew of 25 men at its property located at Alleghany. C. A. Bennett is superintendent.

The Brush Creek Mine near Goodyears Bar. B. W. Hutchinson is superintendent of the 15 man crew.

AMADOR COUNTY

The Argonaut Mining Co., Jackson, is doing development work at Plymouth Mine at Plymouth. Alex Ross, Jackson, is in charge of the 12 man crew.

At the Central Eureka, Sutter Creek, rehabilitation work is being carried on by a crew of 45 men. T. C. Slater is general manager. The wage rate per day is $7.69 for miners and 7.32 for muckers.

The Peterson Mine near Jackson is working 5 to 6 men. Russell Dunnelly, is in charge.

The Pacific Mining Co., P. R. Bradley, Jr., San Francisco is working a crew of 25 men at the Old Newtown Copper Mine near Jackson.

TRINITY COUNTY

The Junction City Mining Co., San Francisco, is operating a bucket line dredge at Junction City. D. B. Wilson is manager, working a crew of 24.

CALAVERAS COUNTY

The Calaveras Nevada Co. San Andreas, is installing a mill on the Lookout Mine 3 miles north of San Andreas. Twelve men are employed.

The Mountain King Mine near Copperopolis is installing a very large crusher and when completed the mill will be able to take 700 tons a day. Ore will be taken from open pits by a power shovel. H. E. Bush is in charge of the 18 man crew.

TUOLUMNE COUNTY

The Jumper Mining Co., has recently opened the Jumper Mine at Stent, Tuolumne County. A new 150 ton mill has been erected and is operated one shift a day; 12 men are employed. Ralph Fitzgerald, is in charge.

Yuba Consolidated Gold Fields, 341 California St., San Francisco. F. C. Van Deinse, general manager, is operating 8 bucket line dredges, employing about 200 men.

Gold Hill Dredging Co., 311 California St., San Francisco is working 3 boats, employing about 40 men.

The labor market is easing off due to the seasonal shut down of the small local lumber mills.

SISKIYOU COUNTY

Harms and Larsen, Sacramento, are operating two drag line dredges in Siskiyou County one on Horse Creek and the other on the Klamath River about one mile below Happy Camp. Enough gravel is available for about one and one half years run. R. C. Henrici is in charge at Happy Camp and R. Barrett at Horse Creek. Thirty men are employed on the two boats.

The Joice Mining Co., Happy Camp, Mrs. Joice Hilson, manager, is operating a hydraulic mine 5 miles up the river from Happy Camp. Water for the operation is pumped from the river. Power for the pumps is derived from a gas engine. Seven men are employed.

Yreka Gold Dredging Co., is operating a bucket line dredge at Seiad Valley; 18 men are employed.

Geo. Milne, Scott Bar, is mining the Quartz Hill property at that place. He has a six man crew.

The French Gulch Dredging Co., Fort Jones, is operating a dragline dredge on Indian Creek. Eighteen men employed.

The Bradley Mining Co., Crocker Bldg., San Franisco has been sampling placer deposits along the Klamath River. Paul A. Bundy is the engineer in charge.

SHASTA COUNTY

A bucket line dredge is being operated about 6 miles south and west of Redding by the Thurman Gold Dredging Co., San Francisco. J. W. Harvey is manager; address, Redding. Twenty one men are employed.

The Mountain Copper Co., 216 Pine St., San Francisco is opeating its properties in Shasta County 20 miles west of Redding. Between 400 and 500 tons of pyrites are mined and shipped daily; also between 300 and 400 tons of zinc and copper ore are put through the mill on the property. One hundred and seventy eight men are employed.

J. H. Scott and Co., San Francisco are mining the Washington Mine near French Gulch. Val White, is in charge of the five man crew.

ADAM LEE MOORE CLAMPER HEAD PASSES IN S. F.

NEVADA CITY: Adam Lee Moore of Sierra City, who will be remembered by many friends here for his activities in connection with E Clampus Vitus, died recently in San Francisco..

Moore came within a few months of reaching his one hundredth birthday. He was 99 years, 6 months and 9 days old at the time of his death.

Moore was at one time Noble Grand Humbug of Sierra City's Balaam Chapter of E Clampus Vitus and he officiated in the granting of a charter to the William Bull Meek Chapter of Clampers at the time of the organization of the unit here in 1938.

The deceased was a pioneer California resident. He was employed by the Hudson Bay Company prior to his arrival in Sierra City.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Jennie Moore, a son S. C. Moore; and a daughter Mrs. E. E. Hursh.

MINERS FOUNDRY IS EXPANDING

NEVADA CITY: The Miners Foundry and Manufacturing Company has added two new departments. It will manufacture a juice extractor and has taken the agency for welding supplies, wire rope logging supplies, rubber products and machinery for several nationally known manufacturers.

The juice extractors are to be distributed through retail channels throughout the country. The little machine is precision ground, mirror polished and chromium plated. Thirty five mechanics are employed.

Carol Choir To Sing At DeWitt Hospital

GRASS VALLEY: The Grass Valley Carol Choir will sing in one more concert before closing its holiday program.

The choir sang in the Woodland Methodist Church yesterday at the 11 o'clock morning service and in the Westminster Presbyterian Church at the evening service in Sacramento. Next Sunday, January 12th, they will sing at DeWitt State Hospital near Auburn, in the afternoon.

Grass Valley Stores Shorten Business Hours

GRASS VALLEY: Grass Valley stores last evening closed an half hour earlier in accordance with a plan sponsored by the Grass Valley Chamber of Commerce to shorten store hours. Stores open, as formerly at 9 a. m. and from now on will close at 5:30 p. m.

WITH YOUR ASSEMBLYMAN SCOOP THURMAN AT THE STATE CAPITOL

This week the 57th session of the state legislature convenes in Saramento and this column is resumed. We now present Governor Warren's proposed program for the creation of a California forestry advisory service.

Governor Earl Warren has announced that he will ask the legislature to approve the creation of a California forest advisory service similar to the farm advisory service now ofered to California farmers.

The governor said the proposed new forest advisory service would acquaint timberland owners with new practices and approve methods of forest management, as part of a comprehensive program to conserve the state's timber resources.

Declaring that California's timber is being cut at a rate much faster than it can be grown the governor advocated adoption of a system of "harvesting" timber in the same way as agricultural crops are harvested. He said he will also ask the legislature to authorize the following orestry program:

1 Appropriation of $5,000,000 for the purchase of cutover lands in the northern and southern portions of California's pine regions for the establishment of research projects and for purposes of reforestation. The governor estimated that about two million acres of timberland in California have been denuded without any effort being made to plant new trees.

2 Appropriation of $125,000 for the control of blister rust in California's sugar pine forests.

3 Appropriation of $100,000 for a comprehensive survey and inventory of the state's present and potential forest resources in cooperation with the U. S. forest service.

4 Expansion of the state's experimental pogram on controlled burning for which $40,000 was appropriated by the legislature at its last session.

"We need a comprehensive program that will conserve our timber resources and maintain them for those who are to follow us, if lumbering is to be continued in our state as a great industry" the governor said.

"This has been done with success in other countries. Sweden for example, is about the same size and shape as Caliornia and has had comparable timber resources. About seventy five years ago the people of Sweden realized that their timber resources were dwindling and that their forests would be ruined unless something was done about it. So they indicated a conservation program on all fronts, and at the present time the timber resources of Sweden are about three times those of California.

"I believe that if we do certain practical things we can save our industry and harvest our timber in the future very much as agricultural crops are harvested. This takes both legislation and appropriations but it also necessitates the education of people in the industry. During the last four years we have made a start on such a program and I want to continue it."

Tom Dolley Quits Mercantile Business

TRUCKEE: Tom Dolley last week left his postiion at the Truckee Mercantile store, where with his wife, he had been a partner of Mr. and Mrs. A. Pace to devote his full time to the conduct of his official duties and the management of the Truckee Funeral Home and Ambulance Service.

Dolley reports that the duties of his office and new business will occupy all of his time and he is having an office installed at the funeral home where he may be reached. An extension of the deputy sheriff's telephone now installed at the Truckee jail, will be attached to a red light on the Southern Pacific Hotel which will be turned on from the telephone office when an emergency call comes in, Dolley said.

The Paces will continue to operate the mercantile store, following the same progressive policies which have been established during the two years the stare has been managed by the partnership.

NO NEW YEAR CAR CRASHES IN NEVADA COUNTY

NEVADA CITY: Neither the sheriff's office or the California Highway Patrol, were able to report an accident of any kind the day before New Years, on New Years Day, or the day after, except one in Truckee in which a man walked into a train and lost his right forearm. This was John Isaacson of Sacramento who is now recovering in the county hospital.

There were no highway crashes, no drunken driving arrests, and but one or two citations for drunkenness.

HOME NURSING CLASS TO OPEN

NEVADA CITY: Mrs. Isabel Heffinger, school nurse, yesterday announced that home nursing courses will be given at Nevada City high school beginning at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

In charge of the classes will be Miss Jean Anderson of San Francisco. The classes will meet on Tuesday and Thursdays to study procedures, taking bodily temperatures, how to make patients comfortable, using materials in the home, how to feed the sick, with information on diets, how to apply hot or cold compresses and how to apply medication. The course will be free to all desiring to take it.

U. C. SICK RATE CUT BY HEALTHY VETERANS

BERKELEY, Jan. 6—The sick rate of students on the Berkeley campus of the University of California has been greatly reduced by the general good health of veterans, who constitute more than half the student population.

This is the statement of Dr. William G. Donald, university physician who heads the activities of Cowell Hospital, student health center.

Donald says the superior health of veterans can be attributed to the following: They are a physically select group; they have built up natural immunities to disease by travel and contact with many people; their immunity to disease has been increased by frequent vaccinations.

Donald says the student sick rate in November 1944 was 12.28 per thousand; in November 1945 after the first influx of veterans the rate was 7.95 per thousand; In November 1946, 5.23 per thousand. He adds that the present rate is far below the prewar figure.

MAN RECOVERING FROM AMPUTATION OF ARM

NEVADA CITY: John Isaacson of Sacramento who suffered the loss of his right forearm New Years night, was brought to the Nevada County Hospital here and is reportedly on the road to recovery.

According to Coroner Alvah Hooper, Isaacson walked into a moving train at Truckee, and in falling one arm was thrown across the track. He was given first aid in Truckee and then removed to this city.

OFFICERS SEATED

NEVADA CITY: The Ladies Fire Auxiliary meeting Friday evening, enjoyed a turkey dinner after installing officers for the year.

Mrs. Luvia Kilroy is the new president; Mrs. Elva Lee Sigourney, vice president; Mrs. Betty Tamblyn, secretary; and Mrs. Pauline Stevens, treasurer..

WEDDED IN RENO

GRASS VALLEY: Ella Richard of this city and L. L. Duquette of Carmichael were married in Reno, on New Years..

The bride wore a blue suit with black accessories. Se was attended by her mother, Mrs. Mona Long of Grass Valley. Best man was Kenwood Tippett of Carmichael. The couple will live in Sacramento.

FORTY MINERS SEEK PORTAL-PORTAL PAY

GRASS VALLEY: Miss Phyllis Lindley, secretary of the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers with headquarters in the Holbrook Building, revealed yesterday that 40 miners employed by the Idaho Maryland Mines Company had filed claims for portal to portal pay, under the recent decision of the U. S. Supreme Court. .

She stated that not all the miners are members of the union but that they are utilizing the facilities offered by the local union for collecting the claims and forwarding to the union's attorneys in San Francisco.

In addition to the claims filed by miners, Miss Lindley said there are 20 other claims filed by men formerly employed in shipyards and in war or other industries, who are now located in this area. She reported that one man reading of the union's offer to aid claimants, had come all the way from Sacramento to file his claim here.

Miss Lindley reported that the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers Union of Grass Valley now has 120 members.

Information Filed Against Three Men

NEVADA CITY: Charges of kidnaping have been filed by District Attorney Ward Sheldon against Thomas O'Dea and George Griffiths, and against Walter, (Chick) Sales. In addition to the kidnaping charge against Sales, he is accused of escape from the county jail.

O'Dea and Griffiths are alleged to have abducted Georfe M. Dragovich, union business agent, from his room in the Bret Harte Inn in Grass Valley and forced him to accompany them to a picketed restaurant on Mill Street.

Walter Sales, a trusty at the county jail left in a taxi for Truckee, where under threat of a pistol he is accused of forcing Mrs. Mary Giovannoni to accompany him. The dates for trials of the thre have not been set.

Home Nursing Course Opens In Grass Valley

GRASS VALLEY: A free home nursing course was opened today in the Grant School by Mrs. E. Myers, home nursing chairman for the Grass Valley Chapter of American Red Cross.

The course will cover 12 hours and consists of six lessons in carrying for emergencies arising in the home and in first aid. The classes will be held in the morning, afternoon and evening.

Carl Larsen Is New Courthouse Custodian

NEVADA CITY: Carl Larsen, deputy sherif, whose office will expire along with that of Sheriff Carl J. Toblassen on Monday, has been appointed custodian of the county courthouse by the county board of supervisors..

He will fill the post vacated by William Treglown, who has been serving since the death of Dennis Coughlan last year. The job pays $2100 annually.

ALMANAC

JANUARY

1—New Year's Day.

2—Raise First U. S. Flag, 1776.

3—Victory at Trenton, 1777.

4—Utah admitted to Union, 1896.

5—Pacific cable opened to public, 1903.

6—Joan d'Arc, born, 1402.

7—First national election, U.S., 1789.

NEW CHAMBER OFFICERS TAKE SEATS JAN 14

NEVADA CITY: The Nevada City Chamber of Commerce will give its annual dinner Tuesday night, January 14th, in the auditorium of the Elementary School and seat the recently chosen officers with ceremony.

Chamber members, their families and guests have been urged to attend. A dinner of Swiss steaks will be served.

A tribute will be paid the outgoing officers, Bert Foreman, president, Charles Veale, vice president, and the directors, Frank G. Finnegan, Mrs. A. C. Presley, Robert Tamblyn and Art Innis.

The new president is George Hansen; vice president, Ray Spickelmier and directors: Paul Bergemann, Bert Foreman, Mrs. Roy Deeter, Gordon Tryon, Ed Hewston and Cecil Holmes.

North Star Whistle Sounds Again

GRASS VALLEY: Grass Valley citizens are rejoicing over the return to the air of North Star whistle, which has been silent since July 1, 1946, when the Empire Star was formally closed with the exception of maintenance workers. The leasers in No. 5 winze have gone to work.

The whistle began sounding the day after New Years. It is heard at 5:30 a. m., 6 a. m., 7 a. m. at noon, 12:30 and 3:30 p. m. Grass Valleyans are again setting their clocks and watches by the fhistle.

Leases have been made to three groups of tributers, eight in each group.

Mine Workers League Seats Officers

GRASS VALLEY: The Mine Workers Protective League have installed their officers for 1947. Russell Miller was re-elected president and Ed J. Jones, recording secretary.

Other officers seated were W. J. Bennetts, vice president; William Rowett, financial secetary; Charles P. Goudge, treasurer; Fred Wales, door keeper; Fred Carter, trustee; Frank Bannerack, chairman auditing committee: William Penaluna, Walter Fletcher, George Baldwin and John M. Young, executive committee.

NEW YEARS WEDDING

NEVADA CITY: Miss Opal Alene Turpin of Grass Valley was married to Edward Lester Williams of this city, in the home of Justice of the Peace George Gildersleeve on New Years Day. The judge read the marriage service.

The couple were attended by Doris Davis of Nevada City and Julius Turpin of Grass Valley.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO MEET

GRASS VALLEY: The Nevada County Historical Society will meet this evening to hear the report of its nominating committee and to elect officers for 1947. The new officers will take seats at the February meeting.

Plans for the year will be discussed at the meeting this evening.

BROTHER'S NIGHT

NEVADA CITY: Evangeline Chapter, Order of Eastern Star on Tuesday night, January 7th, will hold its annual Brothers' Night. John H. Elliott, associate worthy patron is general chairman of the event.

STEELHEAD GOOD

Steelehad fishing is good on the Scott and Klamath River. Water muddied by mining operations, causes Trinity River sportsmen's luck to be only fair.

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I wonder about forest trees,
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Perhaps we'd hang out heads in shame,
If we could hear a tree
Express the feelings of its heart
Of thee and me.

With the passing of the Yuletide season, we humans turned our thoughts to more ordinary and usual things and so it was that I began thinking of trees.

Trees serve us in a myriad ways and usually the trees of our orchards and gardens are well cared for and in a measure rewarded for the benefits we receive from them; but are we not somewhat lax in our methods of forest care and conservation?

The forests monarchs have many enemies; the storms of winter, the heat of summer, destructive insects and fires which our heedless unleash are but a few. There are others almost too numerous to mention.

To the practical minded, the forest trees are regarded as a crop, to be harvested in due season and used for the comfort and convenience of man. Lumbering is one of our basic industries and until more substitute materials are produced, the annual "cut" will go on and reforestration will each year become more and more imperative.

The department of fosestry has placed rules and regulations about the lumber industry and usually, lumbermen have cooperated, to the end that forested areas may not be completely denuded and that, as the merchantable trees are cut and utilized, young trees shall replace them and new forests be made to grow upon areas bereft of the old.

We welcome these signs of increasing concern, for the stately monarchs of hill and dale and cheerfully cooperate with every effort put forth for their preservation—that is, until at the opproach of Yuletide, we go berserk and the slaughter of the innocents begins in all its fury.

This year as usual, we shall hear of thousands upon thousands of beautiful young trees, brought down from the hills and offered for sale in the market places. We shall also hear that thousands of them were unsold and that they were carted away, to some convenient spot, and ruthlessly burned. Is this annual waste of young trees necessary? Is it intelligent procedure upon our part?

Why not ask our legislators to bring the laws of supply and demand to bear upon the annual cut of Christmas trees? Wouldn't it be a good plan if steps were taken?

Uncle Silas says: "Can it be that we shall see a John Lewis trend in spring fashions? Well, aren't we all padding our shoulders and trying to look burly?"—Adeline Merriam Conner..

MILITARY SERVICE

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NEVADA CITY LONG AGO

FLOY MARGARET REYNOLDS

75 YEARS AGO

S. M. Timmons had again opened the Empire Market at the corner of Main and Commercial Streets and was prepared to supply the people of Nevada City with excellent meats.

The following persons were elected officers of Oustomah Lodge, No. 16, IOOF., of this city; N: G. Henry Odgers, VGG Earl Brown, secretary, H. H. Hoskins, treasurer, R. W. Tully. Trustees Jonathan Clark, Chas. Marsh, A. W. Smith, J. W. Hinds and A. W. Lester.

The ladies Episcopal Sewing Society met at the residence o Mrs. C. C. Leavitt in Broad Street.

S. G. Millington well known in this city as a dancing teacher, was opening a school at Temperance Hall.

Rainfall for the season to date was 38.29 inches.

As a result of the torrential rains and the high water in Deer Creek, the posts that sustained one end of the Broad Street bridge were so weakened that Marshal Getchell found it necessary to close the bridge to horse and team traffic.

The Danforth Petroleum Co. reduced the price of their oil. W. H. Crawford their agent in this city was to retail it in the future at 60c per gallon.

The commissions of the officers of the Nevada Light Guard were received and were as follows: Captain, M. S. Deal; 1st lieutenant, John Rapp; 2nd lieutedant, D. B. Getchell.

50 YEARS AGO

The county board of education granted to the following persons primary grade teachers certificates: Charles Temby, Jessie Organ, Margaret Vineyard, Frank Kent, Hattie Rowe, Nellie L. O'Connor, Fancis Stoakes. High school certificates were issued to A. E. Baugh, Miss Nora Hussey and Miss Mabel Bradley. A grammar grade certificate was issued to M. W. Smith, Mrs. May Melarkey Holmes was recommended for a life diploma.

Mrs. H. C. Mills was having electric lights put into all her rooms in her residence on Main Street. C. J. Brand had electric lights put into his house on Broad Street.

Will E. Fisher of San Francisco bonded from Thomas Nolan of Grass Valley the Nevada Quartz Mine situated at Canada Hill near the Mayflower Mine. Col. Fisher planned to form a company to take the mine and work it.

The New York Mine was bonded to a company represented by Henry Power. The New York was situated near the Pennsylvania and was owned principally by Dr. S. M. Harris, James Burke and James Feeney.

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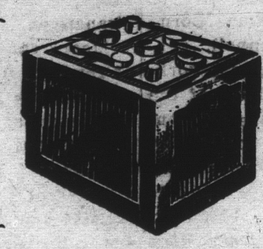
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HOW MUCH DOES IT WEIGH?
I DUNNO, LADY!
WELL, HAVEN'T YOU ANY SCALES?
NO! THE FISH HAVE THE SCALES!-
WE JUST LAY 'EM DOWN AND THEY WEIGH THEMSELVES!
?
FISH

POP — By J. Millar Watt

I'M A GREAT BELIEVER IN THE POWER OF THE PRESS!
I SHOULDN'T HAVE THOUGHT SO FROM YOUR TROUSERS!
WHY! I HAD THEM UNDER MY MATTRESS ALL NIGHT!
YOU MUST BE A VERY LIGHT SLEEPER!

MUGGS AND SKEETER — BY WALLY BISHOP

GEE, HOW ARE WE GOING TO GET ACROSS THIS?
I DUNNO IT IS A BAD-LOOKING DITCH!!
HEY, MUGGS! THERE'S A NARROW PLACE DOWN THIS WAY!!
LOOK! SOMEBODY HAS EVEN LEFT A COUPLE OF BOARDS ACROSS THE DITCH FOR US!!
WELL! WELL! IF IT ISN'T THE ROCK!!

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Mazzanti—In Nevada City, Nevada County, December 31, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene D. Mazzanti of Grass Valley, a son.

Sherwood—In Nevada City, Nevada County, December 31, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Sherwood of Grass Valley, a daughter.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 4th day of February, 1947, a special election will be held for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the territory hereinafter described the following proposition, to-wit:

That it is proposed to annex to, incorporate in, and make a part of the City of Grass Valley, a municipal corporation, the territory hereinafter described.

Said territory hereinabove referred to is that certain territory situate in the County of Nevada, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

A portion of the East One Half of the Northeast One Quarter of Section 34, Township 16 North, Range 8 East, M. D. M., described as follows, to wit: Commencing at the section corner common to Sections 26, 27, 34 and 35, Township and Range, aforesaid; thence with true bearings, along the east line of said section 34, South 1° 19' East 1316.90 feet to iron pipe 2 ins. diam., identical with the SE Cor. of the NE¼ of the NE¼ of said section 34; thence, along the southerly line, thereof, South 89° 03' West 906.65 feet to the intersection of said southerly line, with the southeasterly line of Empire Street Extension, identical with the northwesterly line of that certain parcel of land conveyed by that certain deed, dated May 28, 1936, executed by Empire Star Mines Company, Ltd., to John G. Sutherland, and recorded in Book 31 of Official Records, at page 303, Nevada County Records; thence along the northwesterly line, thereof, identical with the southeasterly line of said Empire Street extension, South 60° 29' West 85.37 feet to the most westerly corner of said Sutherland property; thence, along a northwesterly line of the property of the Empire Star Mines Company, Limited, identical with the said southeasterly line of Empire Street, Extension South 57° 19' West 113.61 feet to a corner of that certain parcel of land, conveyed by that certain deed, dated October 30th, 1935, executed by Empire-Star Mines Company, Limited, to Lauren E. Lane and recorded in Book 26, of Official Records, at page 451, Nevada County Records; thence, along the northerly line thereof, identical with the southerly line of said Empire Street extension, the following two successive courses, to wit: South 80° 38' West 106.95 ft., North 85° 06' West 73.05 ft; thence, along said southerly line, identical with the northerly line of property claimed by Empire Star Mines Company, Limited and John Knuckey, North 82° 38' West 69.50 feet to a point on the easterly line of the South Grass Valley Townsite as surveyed by Merry and Smith in the year 1876; thence, along the easterly line, thereof, North 1° 31' West 1408.74 feet to the Northeast Corner thereof, identical with a point on the southerly line of the Grass Valley Townsite, as surveyed by Samuel Bethel in the year 1872; thence, along said southerly line North 89° 14' East 1332.04 feet to the place of beginning, containing 41.023 acres.

Said territory so described shall be designated as Southeast Grass Valley and shall be so referred to and indicated upon the ballots to be used at the election at which the question of such annexation is submitted.

The polls for said special election shall be opened at 7 o'clock A. M. on the day of said special election and shall be kept open until 7 o'clock P. M. of said day when the polls shall be closed; except that if at the hour of closing there are any voters in the polling place, or in line at the door, who are qualified to vote and who have not been able to do so since appearing, the polls shall be kept open a sufficient time to enable them to vote, but no one who shall arrive at the polling place after 7 o'clock P. M. of said day shall be entitled to vote, although the polls may be open when they arrive.

Upon the ballots to be used at such election there shall be printed the words "Shall Southeast Grass Valley be annexed to the City of Grass Valley." Opposite these words there shall be printed the words "Yes" and "No" and to the right of each of these last two words there shall be a voting square. If an elector shall stamp a cross (X) in the voting square after the printed word "Yes," the vote of such elector shall be counted in favor of the annexation of the territory referred to in such proposition, to the City of Grass Valley. If an elector shall stamp a cross (X) in the voting square after the printed word "No," the vote of such elector shall be counted against such annexation.

That for the purpose of holding and conducting such special election the said territory hereinabove described and referred to as Southeast Grass Valley is hereby districted into and there is hereby established, one voting precinct, and the polling place and the election officers for such precinct are hereby fixed at and named as follows:

Southeast Grass Valley Voting Precinct—

Comprising all of the above described territory and co-extensive therewith.

Polling Place: Residence of William J. Phillips, on Lucas Lane.

Inspector: William J. Phillips.

Judge: Mary L. Doolittle.

Judge: Blanche Barrett.

Dated: December 26, 1946.

LOIS M. LeDUC,
City Clerk of the City of Grass Valley.

Dec. 30-Jan. 6, 13, 20

VETERANS HAVE BUT FEW DAYS TO RENEW N. S. L. I.

By CORAL NORTON
Assistant Service Officer

Veterans who allowed their GI term insurance to lapse prior to last August 1, have only until Feb. 1 to reinstate without a medical examination, the Nevada County Veterans Service Office, warned today.

To reinstate a lapsed policy, the veteran is required to pay only two monthly premiums on the amount of insurance he wants to reinstate and sign a statement that his health is as good as when his premium ceased. After Feb. 1 a policy may be reinstated without examination if application was made within six months of the date of lapse.

The Nevada County Veterans Service Office pointed out that National Service Life Insurance offers the best buy in the insurance market, since the program and premiums are considerably lower than for comparable coverage under private insurance plans.

The insurance program has been liberalized under recent legislation passed by congress, permitting conversion of term insurance, enabling the policy holder to select any beneficiary he desires, and to select payment of the insurance upon his death either by a lump sum or in monthly installments. Endowment policies are also now available.

Veterans interested in reinstating or converting insurance are urged to call at the Nevada County Veterans Service Office, located at 111 South Auburn Street, Grass Valley, for advice and assistance in preparation of the necessary forms..

Oil Products Cheaper In Midwest Than On Coast

BERKELEY: Distribution of refined petroleum products is marked by more competitive methods in the midwest than on the Pacific Coast, with resulting lower prices and somewhat higher net earnings in the central region.

This is the conclusion reached by Walter E. Hoadley in his study for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy on the Berkeley campus of the University of California.

A possible reason for this situation is that the midwest must import much of its petroleum, resulting in more independent distributors than is the case on the coast, where the normal situation is one of exporting products.

In neither region, he points out, do the price policies seem to have been especially undesirable. Consumers receive excellent products at relatively low prices and employment in the industry has increased steadily, but average salaries, particularly in the midwest were relatively low.

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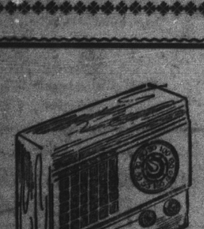

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WATER METERS DEBATED BY CITY COUNCIL

NEVADA CITY: Mayor Irvine Seaman, at a meeting of the city council Thursday evening, broached the subject of installing water meters in this city, calling for the opinion of the council members, without committing themselves definitely most members believed it would be an improvement over the present flat rate system of water charges. The rate is $2 per month for each residence.

Fred W. Bush who volunteered to do some preliminary work in Pioneers Park in return for use of the caretakers cottage there, was granted permission to move into the cottage. He will assume regular duties of park care taker on May first.

Chief of Police Max Solaro, who called attention to a number of accidents on the Gault Bridge, was authorized to erect signs at either end of the bridge, to reduce speed to 15 miles an hour.

Al Bates Heads Native Sons For Another Year

NEVADA CITY: Hydraulic Parlor, Native Sons of the Golden West has reelected A. S. Bates president. Fred C. Garrison was chosen vice president; Elsworth Sherman, second vice president; Charles Trevillan, third vice president; William H. James, marshal; Andrew Carey, inside sentinel; George Halstead, outside sentinel and William R. Young, trustee.

A committee consisting of George Halstead, William Tamblyn and Fred C. Garrison was appointed to take charge of entertainment.

Cornish Society Thanks Carol Singers

GRASS VALLEY: Cornish people and their descendants who heard the Christmas broadcast of the Grass Valley Carol Choir have been sending in their congratulations and appreciation of the concert.

Typical of these was a message from Tacoma, Washington, reading: We, the Cornish Association of Tacoma, wish to extend to the Grass Valley Carol Choir, a most hearty vote of thanks for the wonderful rendering of the old time carols, including Diadem and Salutation.

(Signed) EDWARD PEDLAR,
Vice President.

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LEWIS PERRIN BORNE TO REST

GRASS VALLEY: Funeral services were held Saturday in the Hooper and Weaver Mortuary for Lewis Orrin Perrin who died New Years night in a local hospital. Rev. Frank Buck, rector of Emmanuel Episcopal Church conducted the services. Interment was in Elm Ridge Cemetery.

Perrin was a veteran of World War I. He was engaged for many years in the operation of a dairy at his ranch in the Forest Springs district where he was born 53 years ago.

He leaves his mother, Mrs. Orrin Perrin, his wife, Mrs. Eugenie Perrin, a son, Lewis O. Perrin, Jr. all of Grass Valley, a brother, Ray Perrin, and sister, Mrs. Lucille Gannallack, both of Sacramento and several nephews and nieces.

Harold Sofge, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Sofge, has gone to Reno, where he will be employed by Brown's Motors, a large concern which deals in airplanes, motor boats and automobiles.

DIVORCE

Sheurn—In Nevada City, Nevada County, December 30, 1946, Ada Sheurn against Peter C. Sheurn; complaint filed; cruelty.

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NEVADA CITY: The stork brought two babies to Nevada City parents on New Years. The first was a son, weighing 8 pounds and 11 ounces born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Peard at 11:07 a. m. the second was a daughter who tipped the scales at 8 pounds and 9 1-2 ounces, born to Mr. and Mrs. Jay T. Kelly at 11:3 a. m.

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NEVADA CITY: Schools of Nevad County responded with a few mino exceptions today. In Nevada City an Grass Valley courses will be resume looking to the final examination fo the term which ends late this month.

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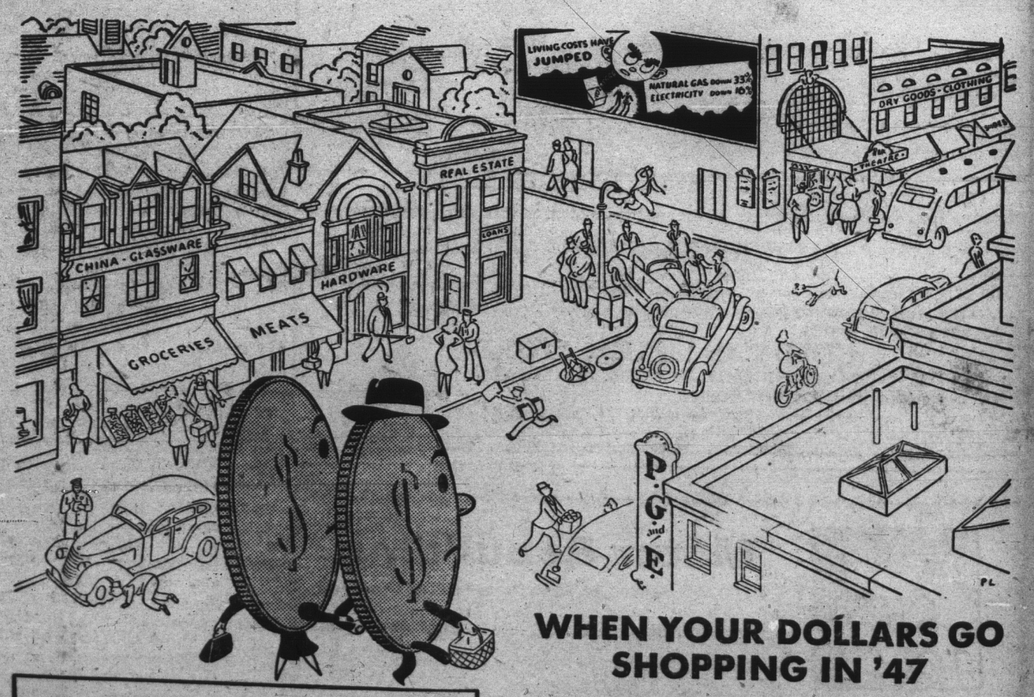

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